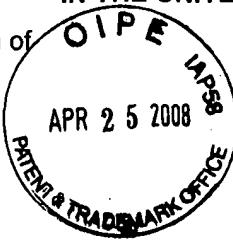


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In re Patent Application of

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Serial No. 10/518,302

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Title: EPIMERIZED DERIVATIVES OF K5 POLYSACCHARIDE WITH A VERY HIGH DEGREE OF SULFATION

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

 Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

## Fees are attached as calculated below:

Total effective claims after amendment	<b>64</b>	minus highest number	
previously paid for	<b>64</b>	(at least 20) =	0 x \$50.00
			\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

Independent claims after amendment	<b>6</b>	minus highest number	
previously paid for	<b>6</b>	(at least 3) =	0 x \$210.00
			\$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add  
\$370.00 (1203)/\$185.00 (2203) \$

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this  
paper and attachment(s)

One Month Extension	\$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)
Two Month Extensions	\$460.00 (1252)/\$230.00 (2252)
Three Month Extensions	\$1050.00 (1253)/\$525.00 (2253)
Four Month Extensions	\$1640.00 (1254)/\$820.00 (2254)
Five Month Extensions	\$2,230.00 (1255)/\$1115.00 (2255) \$

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add  
\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$

Applicant claims "small entity" status.  Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee	\$180.00 (1806)	\$ 0.00
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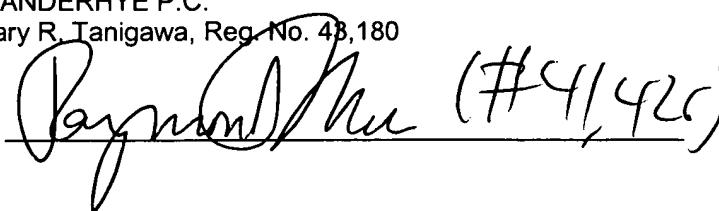
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

April 25, 2008

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 25, 2008, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-15.

Claims 71, 76, 78, 89-90, 127, and 134 are amended.

**Remarks** begin on page 16.